

I am writing to ask you to carefully consider how the people of Kodiak, Alaska and other rural communities across this fine country might be affected if LPFM (low power FM) radio stations are allowed a higher priority over FM translators. Here in Kodiak, residents can only pick up two or three radio stations, one of which is K-LOVE. The other stations are secular in their content and often broadcast content unfit for our children to listen to. K-LOVE radio is broadcast on an FM translator on frequency 89.9 MHz. and can only be received here via the translator. If LPFM is allowed a higher priority, the residents of Kodiak, as well as many other communities across the United States, may be unable to receive K-LOVE. I know many people here in Kodiak that listen to K-LOVE exclusively and we all reap the benefits of a family-based radio station that plays music that is fit for our children to listen to. The overriding theme of K-LOVE radio is a message of love and peace which is extremely valuable to those of use trying to raise children in a day and age when everything in our world is chaos and war, television media outlets televise all the bad things going on around the globe and secular radio is playing songs promoting violence and sex and other undesirable behaviors. It is an unbelievable blessing to be able to turn on my radio and listen to music that is not only pleasing to the ear but delivers a valuable message that those who hear often don't even realize is non-secular. With K-LOVE radio, I don't have to worry that my children might be exposed to comments made by a DJ or song lyrics that undermine everything I'm trying to instill in them. It makes you feel good! K-LOVE provides this service via an FM translator that may be snuffed out if LPFM is allowed to prevail. As a Christian, I cannot stand by idly and allow this to happen without saying my piece. This community needs to be able to hear the message K-LOVE radio puts out. Please make the right decision and allow us to continue to receive K-LOVE here.

Thank you,
Jeff & Holly Harris
Kodiak, Alaska